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From: CN=Phil North/OU=R10/O=USEPA/C=US
Sent: Tue 3/1/2011 9:20:23 PM
Subject: Re: EPA Bristol Bay Technical Team

I figure we could keep you busy most of a day. Perhaps Daniel could meet with us in the morning, then Tom could join us when he is available. So, is it the 17th?

The question we are tasked with answering is: "How would reasonably foreseeable large scale development affect salmon fisheries (subsistence, commercial and recreational) in the Bristol Bay watershed?" What we would ask of you is to help us understand the salmon population to best position us to answer this question. We have a team of very capable aquatic ecologists. I think your efforts would be best applied giving us the big picture concepts and directing us the relevant literature.

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To: Daniel Schindler <deschind@uw.edu>
Cc: Phil North/R10/USEPA/US@EPA
Date: 03/01/2011 11:49 AM
Subject: Re: EPA Bristol Bay Technical Team

Daniel,
The problem is that ADF&G has me up there on the 17th for a WASSIP technical committee meeting and it will last most of the day. I do not know how much time Phil thinks that we will need. I suspect I could get away from the WASSIP meeting by early-mid afternoon (it will start in the morning and I fly up the evening of the 16th) and I do not mind getting a late return flight.

Phil - what do you think?
Tom

On Tue, 1 Mar 2011, Daniel Schindler wrote:

> The 17th is much better for me because if child care conflicts on the 18th. I
> could do the 18th in a pinch but have a distinct preference for the Thursday.
> Daniel
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> ----- Original Message ----- From: <North.Phil@epamail.epa.gov>

> To: "Daniel Schindler" <deschind@uw.edu>
> Cc: "Thomas P Quinn" <tquinn@u.washington.edu>
> Sent: Tuesday, March 01, 2011 10:57 AM
> Subject: Re: EPA Bristol Bay Technical Team
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>> How about the 18th?
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>> To: "Thomas P Quinn" <tquinn@u.washington.edu>, Phil
>> North/R10/USEPA/US@EPA
>> Date: 03/01/2011 08:37 AM
>> Subject: Re: EPA Bristol Bay Technical Team
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>> Phil,
>> That week is a bit tight for me. Thursday 17th is by far the best day
>> for
>> me. 18th is OK. 16th not great. 14th and 15th I'm on the east coast so
>> wouldn't be able to make it.
>> Daniel
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>> ----- Original Message -----
>> From: <North.Phil@epamail.epa.gov>
>> To: "Thomas P Quinn" <tquinn@u.washington.edu>
>> Cc: "Daniel Schindler" <deschind@u.washington.edu>
>> Sent: Monday, February 28, 2011 5:59 PM
>> Subject: Re: EPA Bristol Bay Technical Team
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>>> Tom and Dan,
>>> This is still pending coordination with the rest of the team but we
>> are
>>> looking at some time the week of March 14. Is there a time that week
>>> when you could be here?
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>>> Phil
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 >>> Cc: Daniel Schindler <deschind@u.washington.edu>
 >>> Date: 02/28/2011 03:49 PM
 >>> Subject: Re: EPA Bristol Bay Technical Team
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 >>> Phil,
 >>> I was going to send you a note thanking you for your time and
 >> attention
 >>> last week but you beat me to it. I prioritize this issue very highly
 >>> and if we can find dates that work I can come to Anch again to meet
 >> with
 >>> you and the team. Let's correspond with respect to dates. I am most
 >>> flexible prior to the last week in March because I begin teaching then
 >>> but a quick trip during the teaching quarter is possible too. Indeed,
 >>> the April event that you refer to is going to get sandwiched between
 >>> lectures.
 >>> best wishes,
 >>> Tom
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 >>> On Mon, 28 Feb 2011, North.Phil@epamail.epa.gov wrote:
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 >>>> Tom,
 >>>> It was good to talk with you in person last week. Voices over the
 >>> phone
 >>>> cannot be as effective as face to face. I was able to be in Seattle
 >>>> because, in interesting contrast to the issue we were discussing, I
 >>> had
 >>>> been in Juneau considering alternatives to putting the waste from the
 >>>> next 50 years of the Green Creek mine in a small salmon stream and
 >>>> wetland complex on Admiralty Island.
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 >>>> I heard today that you and Dan Schindler will be in Anchorage mid
 >>> April
 >>>> for a salmon symposium. I am wondering if, per our discussion in
 >>>> Seattle, it is possible to impose on one or both of you for two
 >> trips
 >>>> to Anchorage in two months. I ask because we have a very short time
 >>>> line for our watershed assessment and your knowledge of Bristol Bay

>>>> salmon would be invaluable to us. To make my request even more
 >>>> unreasonable I cannot offer travel funds.
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 >>>> Of course we will wait if need be. If you can only come once I wonder
 >>> if
 >>>> the EPA technical team (which consists of Dr. Dan Rinella, UAA, Dr.
 >>> Alan
 >>>> Boraas, UAA, Becky Schaftel, UAA, Dr. Chris Frissel, Pacific River
 >>>> Council, Dr. Bob Seal, USGS, Heather Dean, EPA, Dave Athons, EPA,
 >> Gary
 >>>> Sonnevill, EPA, and me) can have a day of your time. I think it would
 >>> be
 >>>> a great help for us to be able to meet with you to discuss the issues
 >>>> relevant to our effort without competing for your attention.
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 >>>> While in person is best by far, perhaps a video conference would
 >> serve
 >>> a
 >>>> distant second in the ideal time frame.
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 >>>> Thoughts?
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